FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Notification, dated 17th February 1896.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned articles of Minor Forest produce departmentally collected for 1895-96, will be sold by public auction on the 24th March 1896 at 8 A. M. in the Bangalore Sandal kothi, by the District Forest Officer:—

Details of items.	*Quantity.*	*Remarks.*
1. Gall-nut .. .	5 tons	.. More or less.
2. Lac powder	1 „	.. do
3. Gall-nut husk	$\frac{1}{8}$ „	.. do

2. Watch and ward of the articles purchased rest with the purchasers from the date of payment or sale.

3. Twenty-five per cent of the purchase money should be deposited at once and the balance paid within a week from date of sale. In default, the article will be re-sold at the risk of the original purchaser. The article should be removed within ten days from date of sale. For further particulars *vide* Government Notification No. 15229—R. F. 155-92, dated 25th April 1895, which will be read out at the time of sale.

Y. SITARAMAIYA,
Dt. Forest Officer, Bangalore Dt.

Notification, dated 16th February 1896.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned Minor Forest products and lac of the Naraindurga Forests of the Mysore District, will be sold by the undersigned by public auction in the Seringapatam kothi on the 20th March 1896:—

Description of Produce.	*Quantity, more or less.*
Lac	100 Maunds.
Gall-nuts	1,500 do

Terms.—*Vide* Inspector General's Notification, dated 11th June 1887, published at page 287-288 of the Mysore Gazette, dated 18th June 1887.

T. ABDUL KARIM,
District Forest Officer, Mysore District.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Notice, dated 20th February 1896.

The following Currency Notes secured in a hand bag belonging to Rev. Ernest Adkin, of Gubbi, were stolen from the Gubbi Station platform at 5-30 A. M. on the 3rd February 1896.

One half note for Rs. 100 $\frac{T}{65}$ 46197.
One half note for Rs. 100 $\frac{T}{65}$ 51600.
One full note for Rs. 10 $\frac{T}{59}$ 79087.

P. F. BOWRING, *Asst. Supt. of Police, Tumkur Dist.*

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification, dated 3rd February 1896.

It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Rule 13 of Forest Rules of 8th June 1878, the undermentioned State Forests and Plantation are closed to the public for the hot season from 1st February to 31st May 1896. Shooting of any kind is entirely prohibited during the above period. All trespassers will be liable to prosecution.

1. Jogimatti State Forest .. .. . Chitaldrug Taluk.
2. Nirthadi State Forest and Plantation .. .. Davangere do

M. S. NARAYANA RAO, *Ag. Dy. Comr.*